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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Murtuza Lokhandwalla : Confirmation No.: 9461
Serial No.: 10/723,318 : Group Art Unit: 3768
Filed: November 25, 2003 : Examiner: Cheng, Jacqueline
For: COMPRESSION PADDLE MEMBRANE AND TENSIONING
APPARATUS FOR COMPRESSING TISSUE FOR MEDICAL
IMAGING PURPOSES

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION AND
AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Honorable Assistant Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks,
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SIR:

The Applicant hereby requests a one-month extension of time and submits its Request for Continued Examination and Amendment and Response to the Final Office Action dated April 19, 2007. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.